

PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

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Elwin M. BEATY et al.

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Group Art Unit: 2621

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> DIMENSIONAL INSPECTION OF ELECTRONIC COMPONENTS

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Dear Sir:

This is a Request for Continued Examination (RCE) under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 of the above-identified application. submission required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.114 is submitted herewith in the form of an Amendment. A check for the RCE fee of \$375.00(37 C.F.R. § 1.17(e)) is enclosed herewith.

Respectfully submitted,

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